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House of Representatives

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. GIBBONS).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,

I hereby appoint the Honorable Jim Gibbons to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Reverend Father Christian R. Oravec, President, St. Francis College, Loretto, Pennsylvania, offered the following prayer:

Lord, bless the Members of this House, chosen representatives of our Nation. Give them the wisdom and understanding, courage and patience needed for true leadership. Bless all our citizens today in celebrating Flag Day. May our flag, which adorns this Chamber and waves throughout our country and the world, serve as a constant reminder of Your gifts of life and freedom, justice and peace.

May this symbol of glory, old and still to come, fill us with pride in our achievements and humble compassion for those who suffer in any way. When we see it standing as silent sentinel over the graves of our servicemen and women, here and abroad, help us also to value the price of honor and self-sacrifice.

Lord, thank You for all your gifts, now and forever. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the

last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. McNULTY. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. McNULTY. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 352, nays 59, answered "present" 1, not voting 22, as follows:

[Roll No. 270]

	YEAS—352	
Abercrombie	Bishop	Carson
Ackerman	Blagojevich	Castle
Allen	Bliley	Chabot
Andrews	Blumenauer	Chambliss
Archer	Blunt	Clayton
Armey	Boehlert	Clement
Baca	Boehner	Clyburn
Bachus	Bonilla	Coble
Baker	Bonior	Collins
Baldacci	Bono	Combest
Baldwin	Boswell	Conyers
Ballenger	Boucher	Cooksey
Barcia	Boyd	Cox
Barr	Brady (TX)	Coyne
Barrett (NE)	Brown (FL)	Cramer
Barrett (WI)	Brown (OH)	Crowley
Bartlett	Bryant	Cubin
Bass	Burr	Cunningham
Bateman	Buyer	Davis (FL)
Becerra	Callahan	Davis (IL)
Bentsen	Calvert	Davis (VA)
Bereuter	Camp	Deal
Berkley	Campbell	DeGette
Berman	Canady	DeLauro
Berry	Cannon	DeMint
Biggert	Capps	Deutsch
Bilirakis	Cardin	Diaz-Balart

Dingell Doggett Dooley Doolittle Dovle Duncan Dunn Edwards Ehlers Ehrlich Emerson Engel Eshoo Etheridge Everett Ewing Fattah Fletcher Forbes Ford Fossella Fowler Frank (MA) Franks (NJ) Frelinghuysen Frost Gallegly Ganske Gejdenson Gekas Gephardt Gilchrest Gillmor Gonzalez Goode Goodlatte Goodling Gordon Graham Granger Green (TX) Green (WI) Greenwood Hall (OH) Hall (TX) Hansen Hastings (WA) Hayes Hayworth Herger Hill (IN) Hilleary Hinojosa Hobson Hoeffel Hoekstra Holden

Hostettler Houghton Hoyer Inslee Isakson Istook Jackson (IL) Jackson-Lee (TX) Jenkins Johnson (CT) Johnson, E. B. Jones (NC) Kanjorski Kelly Kennedy Kildee Kilpatrick Kind (WI) King (NY) Kingston Kleczka Klink Knollenberg Kuykendall LaFalce LaHood Lampson Lantos Largent Larson Latham Lazio Leach Levin Lewis (CA) Lewis (GA) Lewis (KY) Linder Lipinski Lofgren Lowey Lucas (KY) Lucas (OK) Luther Maloney (CT) Maloney (NY) Manzullo Markey Martinez Mascara Matsui McCarthy (MO) McCarthy (NY) McCollum McCrery

McGovern McHugh McInnis McIntyre McKeon McKinney Meehan Meek (FL) Meeks (NY) Menendez Metcalf Mica Millender-McDonald Miller (FL) Miller, Gary Minge Mink Moakley Mollohan Moran (KS) Moran (VA) Morella Murtha Myrick Nådler Napolitano Neal Nethercutt Ney Northup Norwood Nussle Obey Ortiz Ose Packard Pallone Pascrell Pastor Paul Payne Pease Pelosi Peterson (PA) Petri Phelps Pickering Pitts Pombo Porter Portman Price (NC) Pryce (OH) Quinn Radanovich Rahall Rangel Regula Reyes Revnolds

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Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



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